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Supervisor Dimitrijevic Announces Sneak Preview of the New South Shore Bike Trail

Community to Walk and Bike New Bay View Trail Together

Supervisor Dimitrijevic along with the Milwaukee County Parks, South Shore Park Watch, Bay View Bicycle Club and South Shore Farmers' Market will unveil the newly constructed South Shore Bike Trail this Saturday, October 15 at 9:30am in South Shore Park near the playground. After months of work on this \$2 million Milwaukee County Parks project, the neighborhood will have the first glance at the new bike trail. In addition, the shoreline protection portion of the project is complete which includes a new cement seat wall along the lakefront side of the bike trail.

The program begins at 9:30am during the special events portion of the South Shore Farmers' Market and will be immediately followed by a community walk and ride.

"This is an exciting day for our neighborhood and many generations to come will appreciate Milwaukee County's investment in South Shore Park and our lakefront. The new trail will attract walkers and bikers from all over Milwaukee County," said Supervisor Dimitrijevic.

"The South Shore Bike Path will make a great addition to the 106-mile Oak Leaf Trail, one of the most premier urban bike trail systems in the nation," said Parks Director Sue Black." "We are eagerly awaiting the grand opening in the Spring of 2006."

Local elected officials and many residents from the community are expected to attend.

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